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This instruction implements AFPD 23-3, Energy Management. It prescribes energy conservation goals and requirements for all organizations at Hill Air Force Base, Utah Test and Training Range, and Little Mountain Test Annex. It establishes the methodology to conserve energy resources in vehicles, equipment, operations, and facilities. All organizations and tenants comply with this instruction and perform specific tasks, as required, to eliminate waste and conserve energy resources.

SUMMARY OF REVISIONS

This revision changes the publication designation from OO-ALC-HAFB Instruction 23-301 to Hill AFB Instruction 23-301; changes Figure A5.1 to Figure 1; adds paragraph 5.1.6, and Figure 2. A (|) indicates a revision from the previous edition.

- **1. INTRODUCTION.** Hill AFB and all tenants installations managed by Hill AFB consume significant amounts of energy in support of the national defense policy. Restrictive budgets and potential pollution of the environment require Hill AFB to establish policies for responsibly managing, controlling, metering, and using energy.
- **2. GOALS.** Executive Order 12902, Energy Efficiency and Water Conservation at Federal Facilities March 1994 establish the energy reduction goals for facilities and equipment. All organizations and tenants will develop and implement programs with the intent of reducing energy consumption by a minimum of 30 percent by the year 2005, based on fiscal year 1985 energy consumption per-gross-square-foot area of its buildings in use. Only energy measures that are cost effective will be accomplished.
- **3. RESPONSIBILITIES AND AUTHORITIES.** The following responsibilities and authorities are established:

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- 3.1. Energy Program Manager/Organization Energy Manager:
 - 3.1.1. The Hill AFB Energy Program Manager is assigned by the Base Civil Engineer, and is responsible for the oversight and advocacy of the base energy program. The Energy Program Manager will monitor energy use trends and patterns, and track progress toward meeting established goals. The Energy Program Manager will also identify opportunities to reduce energy use and coordinate implementation plans with the effected organizations. Provides guidance and assistance to organizations at Hill AFB.
 - 3.1.2. Each organization will assign additional duties to at least one individual to be an organization energy manager. Individuals assigned will monitor energy use within their organization and coordinate facility energy audits, meet with the Hill AFB energy program manager as required to receive guidance and technical advice on the base energy program.
- 3.2. Energy Management Steering Group (EMSG):
 - 3.2.1. The EMSG establishes base policy for energy-related matters. Each quarter the EMSG will meet to review progress in meeting energy reduction goals, and discuss opportunities that will result in reductions in energy use. The EMSG will assign taskings to implement approved programs.
 - 3.2.2. The EMSG is chaired by the OO-ALC Vice Commander (OO-ALC/CV), with the 75th Air Base Wing Commander (75 ABW/CC) as the vice chairperson.
 - 3.2.3. Organizations will be represented at the EMSG quarterly meetings by the Director or Deputy Chief. Organizations that consume less than one percent of the total base energy use are not required to attend the EMSG.
 - 3.2.4. The Base Energy Program Manager will prepare the agenda and present the information to the steering group. All organizations are encouraged to participate and present best practices and lessons learned.
- **4. REQUIREMENTS:** To eliminate waste and conserve energy resources, Hill AFB will apply the following practices and principals.
 - 4.1. All organizations will utilize life cycle cost analysis to determine the most efficient and cost-effective applications of new construction, retrofitting existing facilities, equipment installation and industrial processes. Computer software such as Basic Life Cycle Cost (BLCC) and A Simplified Energy Analysis Method (ASEAM) are acceptable tools to model efficiency and project energy use.
 - 4.2. Promote vehicle energy efficiency. Maintain and acquire an energy-efficient vehicle fleet.
 - 4.3. Utilize alternate fuel for vehicles to the extent practical as determined by the Transportation Officer.
 - 4.4. Increase energy efficiency through capital investment and improved operations. Annually prioritize and submit to Headquarters Air Force Material Command energy improvement projects that qualify for special funding under the Energy Conservation Investment Program (ECIP) and Facility Energy Management Program (FEMP).
 - 4.5. Initiate energy conservation projects utilizing private sector funding when it is in the best interest of the Air Force.

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4.6. The base Utility Manager will aggressively pursue opportunities to obtain Utility Company rebates or project financing when it is in the best interest of the Air Force.

- 4.7. Recognize significant achievements of individuals and organizations that contribute to and promote efficient energy use and cost savings. Encourage all personnel to utilize the Air Force Suggestion Program to submit ideas and proposals that will result in reducing energy use and enhance the work environment.
- 4.8. Use public media, such as base newspaper, computer bulletin board, posters, and handouts to disseminate information on energy awareness. Encourage all organizations to adopt practical energy conservation measures in daily business practices.

5. FACILITY ENERGY CONSERVATION POLICY:

- 5.1. An overall policy on facility energy must include certain restrictions and guidance. Individual situations that appear to need special consideration will be presented to the EMSG.
 - 5.1.1. Critical air conditioning and heating requirements in specialized facilities such as medical, computer, food service, equipment calibration, and ICBM storage facilities are exempt from the temperature restrictions contained in this Instruction. Temperature controls in these facilities will be set in accordance with mission requirements.
 - 5.1.2. Privately owned air conditioners and space heaters are prohibited except as authorized in writing by 75 ABW/CC. Individual organizations will monitor the use of privately owned air conditioners and space heaters, and ensure compliance with base policy.
 - 5.1.3. The actual start date for the heating and cooling seasons is dependent upon current weather conditions. It is common for seasonal temperatures to fluctuate several degrees above or below normal during the year. The start and end dates listed below are for planning purposes only.
 - 5.1.3.1. Heating season begins, 15 October.
 - 5.1.3.2. Heating season ends, 15 May.
 - 5.1.3.3. Cooling season begins, 15 June.
 - 5.1.3.4. Cooling season ends, 15 September.
 - 5.1.4. Heating and cooling systems will be operated to take maximum advantage of outside make-up air. Civil Engineering will delay the start-up of central heating plants and cooling systems, and will shut them down early to the extent practical.
 - 5.1.5. Temperature set points in facilities at Hill AFB, Utah Test and Training Range, and Little Mountain Test Annex will be maintained in accordance with the following guidelines in Figure 1 with the exception of facilities listed in paragraph 5.1.1.

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Figure 1. COOLING AND HEATING

HEATING			
Type of Facility	Occupied Hours	Unoccupied Hours	
Office Space	65-70 Degrees F	55 Degrees F	
Storage	55 Degrees F	55 Degrees F	
Maintenance Shops	55 Degrees F	50 Degrees F	
COOLING			
Type of Facility	Occupied Hours	Unoccupied Hours	
Office Space	76-80 Degrees F	82 Degrees F	
Storage	Unconditioned	Unconditioned	
Maintenance Shops	Unconditioned	Unconditioned	

^{5.1.6.} The lighting levels specified in Figure 2 represent the range for which individual light levels should be met. It should be understood that these levels are guidelines established by the Illuminating Engineering Society (IES) and represent the average light levels within the occupied space. Any special lighting level requirements shall be resolved by the individual directorate by obtaining written approval from the 75th Aerospace Medicine Squadron/SGP and coordination by the 75th CES/CEOM, Energy Management Office.

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Figure 2. LIGHTING LEVELS

IES Recommended Illuminance Values

Area/Activity Footcandles

20 – 50
10 – 20
20 – 50
20 – 50
30 – 50
30 – 50
20 – 50
5 – 10
5 – 20
20 – 50
50 – 75
10 – 50
10 – 50
20 – 50

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6. EQUIPMENT ENERGY CONSERVATION POLICY:

6.1. Installed equipment will be operated only as necessary to meet mission requirements. To the extent practical, so as not to interfere with product output, large high demand equipment will be operated during off peak hours. (typically 1100 to 1500)

6.2. All installed equipment will be turned off when not in use. Equipment that is not practical to power down or turn off such as electronic or computer equipment will be operated as required.

7. FACILITY INSPECTIONS:

- 7.1. The organization energy manager and/or building manager will conduct quarterly inspections of each facility assigned. At the completion of the facility energy inspection, all deficiencies will be noted and reviewed by the building manager and organization energy manager. Deficiencies identified during the inspection will be corrected as funding becomes available.
- 7.2. The base energy program manager along with individual organization energy managers will conduct random inspections of facilities. No-notice inspections will be made to ensure compliance with energy conservation policies.
- **8. ENERGY REPORTING.** The Base Energy Program Manager will report energy consumption and costs to Headquarters Air Force Materiel Command by means of the Defense Utility Energy Reporting System (DUERS). Utility information will include heating degree days, cooling degree days, base population, and square footage. Information will be transmitted by the 25th day following the reporting month.

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